



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION  
WASHINGTON, D C 20463

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RE: Pre-MUR 426

Dear Mr. Stewart:

This is to acknowledge receipt of your *sua sponte* submission filed on behalf Carter's Inc., advising us of a possible violation of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, as amended. We will review the matter and notify you as soon as the Federal Election Commission takes action on your submission.

For your information, we have attached a brief description of the Commission's procedures for handling matters such as this. If you have any questions, please contact me on our toll-free telephone number, (800) 424-9530. Our local telephone number is (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jeff S. Jordan", with a long, sweeping flourish extending to the right.

Jeff S. Jordan  
Supervisory Attorney  
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